

The Alexandria Gazette

TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 5.

COUNTY COURT (From the record) Monday: On the bench, Robt. Crupper, P. J.; Robt. Bell, W. L. Penn, J. C. McCracken, S. L. C. Sidebottom and John Moore.

The following conveyances admitted to record since the last term were ordered to be entered on the minutes: Yeaton and Wheeler to A. Jamieson; deed of release; dated March 1st, 1861; Andrew Jamieson to Susan Smyth; deed of bargain and sale; dated April 1st, 1863; C. D. Grinnel to P. Hanrahan; deed of trust for the benefit of H. C. Finch; dated February 25th, 1863; J. Robinson and wife to Townsend Baggott, Jr.; deed of bargain and sale; dated April 14th, 1863; E. A. Boyer et. als. to R. A. Phillips; deed of bargain and sale dated April 13th, 1863; J. J. Steiner, et. als. to R. A. Phillips; deed of bargain and sale; dated April 18th, 1863; Thomas Walter to M. C. Chancey; deed of bargain and sale; dated April 7th, 1863.

An inquisition, held by W. L. Penn, on the body of Jas. Gallagher was returned.

Jelliff vs. Osborne, summons on sugg. On motion of G. D. Jelliff leave is granted to him to withdraw the account in this cause.

The last will and testament of Ann Solomon, dec'd., was proved by the oaths of J. H. Parrott and Jas. A. English, witnesses, and ordered to be recorded, and it was ordered that H. Bradley, W. L. Padgett, Robert Alexander, John Muir and J. W. Simpson, or any three of them being sworn, appraise the estate of deceased, and return the appraisement to court. W. C. Richards, executor, named in the will of Mrs. Solomon, qualified and gave bond.

The Court, as a Court of Oyer and Terminer, then proceeded to the trial of John Farry, a free negro, charged with feloniously breaking into the house of J. H. Baily, on the 16th of April last, and after hearing the testimony the said Farry was deemed not guilty, and ordered to be discharged.

Hammerdinger vs. Hicks; in an appeal; repeal revived and continued until next day.

The Court appointed T. A. Stoutenburgh Commissioner in Chancery.

Warder vs. Monroe; on an appeal; continued.

Earle & Co. vs. O. F. Suttle & Co.; summons on sugg.; dismissed.

E. Francis adm'r. vs. D. C. Carpenter; unlawful detainer; dismissed.

Bryan vs. Ripley; unlawful detainer; dismissed.

C. R. Grimes vs. Ann Fogg; unlawful detainer; docketed and dismissed.

French, Richards and Co. vs. Peel & Stevens; on a sugg.; continued for alias process.

TO-DAY.—Robert Whinner was authorized to solemnize the rites of marriage.

Vasant vs. Gheen; unlawful detainer; verdict for plaintiff.

Rothford vs. Finch; unlawful detainer; verdict for defendant.

Tucker qualified, and was admitted to practice law in this Court.

Hammerdinger vs. Hicks; on an appeal; justice's judgment set aside and case dismissed.

Stryder vs. May; justice's attachment; motion to quash proceedings by def't. sustained, and judgment against plaintiff for costs.

NAMES OF CONFEDERATE PRISONERS, taken in battle near Warrenton, and now in the Mansion House Hospital in this place:

Gillispie Thornwell, Co. H, 2d South Carolina Cavalry, since dead; Capt. B. Dushane, badly wounded; Wm. Hibbs, 1st Va. Cavalry, badly wounded; Alexander Lyle, Richardson's Battery; John Glandel, Co. K, 1st Va. Cavalry, probably mortally wounded; Christian Gall, Co. F, 1st Virginia Cavalry; Richard H. Morand, Co. N, 1st Va. Cavalry; C. C. Shaw, Co. N, 1st Va. Cavalry; T. W. Richards, Co. N, 1st Va. Cavalry, slightly wounded; Carter Page, Richardson's Battery, slightly wounded; John Warren, Co. H, 4th Va. Cavalry, mortally wounded; N. J. Jones, Co. H, 1st Va. Cavalry, badly wounded; John W. Holmes, Mosby's Battery; S. E. Miller, Co. H, 2d South Carolina Cavalry, slightly. David Jones, Mosby's Battery, badly wounded.

MEETING.—A meeting of the Union party of this place was held at the Court House last night, which was addressed by Lewis McKenzie, G. S. Miner, and C. H. Upton, each of whom announced himself a candidate for a seat in the U. S. House of Representatives. The meeting was also addressed by J. W. Hunnicut, and Williams of Connecticut.

Of the wounded Confederate prisoners brought to the Mansion House Hospital, G. Thornwell, of S. C., Glandel, of the 1st Va. Cavalry, and Warren, of the 4th Virginia Cavalry, of Md., have died.

Miss Josephine Devineir, this afternoon performed the feat of walking on a tight rope stretched across King street, from the circus to the house top opposite. A large crowd assembled to witness the feat, and the female Blondin was warmly applauded.

Eighty-three colored men left Buffalo on Sunday for the camp at Readville, near Boston. About one hundred are awaiting transportation from the West to that place.

Charles Brooks, indicted for the murder of his father, was convicted at Mount Holly, N. J., last week. His wife and a son in law of the deceased are to be tried for the same offence.

Miss Dickenson, who is a popular lecturer at the North, and draws great crowds to hear her on the war and political subjects, is said to be very persevering in her attacks on Secretary Seward, Gen. Halleck, &c. She is of the ultra school, and in favor of restoring Butler and Fremont to commands, and adopting their line of policy.

In this age of humbug, "things are not what they seem." A chemist of Chicago, being offered a package of Cream of Tartar, which was drawn at a Gift Enterprise, analyzed it, and found that it consisted of a cheap compound of bone dust, with no trace of genuine Cream of Tartar about it.

The Prince and Princess of Wales are expected to visit the Emperor and Empress of the French, shortly, Fontainebleau is to be the scene of festivities on that occasion, and the Empress has lately made a visit to the chateau of that place in order to direct personally the arrangements for the reception of their royal highnesses.

The two years men of the Duryea Zouaves, will proceed during the latter part of this week on their way to New York. Of the nine hundred and sixty men who left Baltimore with this regiment but little over one hundred are now in active service. Some three hundred three years men were subsequently enlisted, and the regimental organization will probably be kept up.

Southern News.

The Raleigh Standard contains accounts of numerous county meetings of planters in response to Governor Vance's late proclamation discouraging cotton planting and urging the production of breadstuffs.

The Charlotte (N. C.) Democrat says that Major Connington, of the Confederate army, addressed a large public meeting at that place upon the wants of the army in Virginia, and urged sending supplies to relieve their wants.

Several persons announcing themselves as candidates for Congress from districts lying within the Federal lines call upon the soldiers and refugees from those districts for their suffrage.

The Richmond Whig of the 23d attacks Generals Hill and Longstreet for not taking Washington, North Carolina, and Suffolk, Virginia. It says: "It now appears that Longstreet laid siege to Suffolk only to cover a forage party. So far the cost has been seventy-five men killed and wounded, a fine battery of five pieces captured, a number of deserters, and we know not how many prisoners."

Rev. R. J. Graves, of Hillsboro', N. C., indicted some months ago for treason is to be tried at Richmond May 10.

There was an emeute in the theatre in New Orleans, on the 23 inst, about playing the National airs, which created considerable excitement and ended in an order to close the theatre.

MR. ADAMS' LETTER.

LEGATION OF THE UNITED STATES,
LONDON, April 9, 1863.

Amid the multitude of fraudulent and dishonest enterprises from this kingdom to furnish supplies to the Rebels in the United States through the pretence of a destination to some port in Mexico, it gives me pleasure to distinguish one which has a different and a creditable purpose. Messrs. Howell & Zirman have furnished me with evidence which is perfectly satisfactory to me that they are really bound to Matamoras with a cargo intended for the Mexicans. I therefore very cheerfully give them this certificate at their request. It is not the disposition of the Government of the United States to interfere in any way with an honest neutral trade, and it is deeply to be regretted that the frauds which have been so extensively practised in this country have contributed so much to throw it under suspicion.

CHARLES FRANCIS.

A man named Henry Leach was arrested on Sunday, in Baltimore, on the charge of being concerned in the larceny of a large number of cattle from the yards of Mr. Thos. H. Mules and other dealers residing in the western section of that city, as also from the cattle scales out the Frederick road. It is supposed that during the past year upwards of five hundred head have been stolen, involving a loss of \$30,000 or \$40,000 to various dealers.

The full extent of injury to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad is now known. The line is intact from the Monongahela river, to Baltimore. The damage on the main stem is confined to the large iron bridge one mile east of Fairmont, and five bridges in thirty miles west of it. Three bridges on the Parkersburg branch, within twenty miles of Grafton, are also destroyed. The track is uninjured, except at these bridges. The telegraph lines are fully restored and in use.

Mrs. Brinsmade, who created so much noise not long since for her arrest by Superintendent Kennedy, of New York, is again causing a sensation by her marriage to Dr. Charles Phelps, one of her fellow passengers from New Orleans last fall. They were married on the 16th ult.